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# NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

#### **Items** Required To Avoid Abandonment:

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
   Applicant must submit \$ 370 to complete the basic filing fee for a small entity.
- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(I) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

## **Items** Required To Avoid Processing Delays:

The item(s) indicated below are also required and should be submitted with any reply to this notice to avoid further processing delays.

Additional claim fees of \$938 as a small entity, including any required multiple dependent claim fee, are
required. Applicant must submit the additional claim fees or cancel the additional claims for which fees are
due.

#### **SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:**

Total additional fee(s) required for this application is \$1373 for a Small Entity

• \$370 Statutory basic filing fee.

\$65 Late oath or declaration Surcharge.

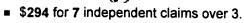
Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$938

**\$504** for **56** total claims over 20.

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• \$140for multiple dependent claim surcharge.

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Docket No.: NIIN-P02-010 (PATENT)

### IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of: Epstein et al.

Application No.: 10/087232

Group Art Unit: 1614

Filed: February 28, 2002

Examiner: Not Yet Assigned

For: USE OF METHYLPHENIDATE COMPOUNDS

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## RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION

**Box Missing Parts**Commissioner for Patents

Washington, DC 20231

Dear Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application – Filing Date Granted mailed April 26, 2002, Applicant respectfully submits a Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney.

Please charge our Deposit Account No. 18-1945 in the amount of \$1,373.00 covering the fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e). The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in the fees filed, asserted to be filed or which should have been filed herewith (or with any paper hereafter filed in this application by this firm) to our Deposit Account No. 18-1945,

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under Order No. NIIN-P02-010. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.

Dated: May 9, 2002

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for FY 2002 Patent fees are subject to annual revision.	Filing Date	February 28, 2002		
	First Named Inventor	Mel Epstein, M.D.		
	Examiner Name	Not Yet Assigned		

Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27 Group Art Unit 1614 **TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT** 1,373.00 Attorney Docket No. NIIN-P02-010 METHOD OF PAYMENT (check all that apply) FEE CALCULATION (continued) Credit Money Check Other None 3. ADDITIONAL FEES Order χ Deposit Account Large Entity Small Entity Deposit 18-1945 Account Fee Fee Fee Fee Description Number Code (\$) Code (\$) Fee Paid Deposit 105 130 205 65 Surcharge - late filing fee or oath 65.00 Account Ropes & Gray Name Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover 127 50 227 25 The Commissioner is hereby authorized to: (check all that apply) sheet X Charge fee(s) indicated below X Credit any overpayments 139 130 139 130 Non-English specification Charge any additional fee(s) during the pendency of this application 147 2.520 147 2,520 For filing a request for ex parte reexamination Requesting publication of SIR prior to Charge fee(s) indicated below, except for the filing fee 112 9201 112 920\* Examiner action to the above-identified deposit account. Requesting publication of SIR after 1.840 113 113 1.840\* Examiner action **FEE CALCULATION** 215 115 110 55 Extension for reply within first month 1. BASIC FILING FEE 116 400 216 200 Extension for reply within second month **Small Entity** Large Entity 117 920 217 460 Extension for reply within third month Fee Fee Fee Fee Fee Description 118 1,440 218 720 Extension for reply within fourth month Fee Paid Code (\$) Code (\$) Utility filing fee 101 740 201 370 370.00 128 1,960 228 980 Extension for reply within fifth month 106 330 206 165 Design filing fee 119 320 219 160 Notice of Appeal 107 510 207 255 Plant filing fee 120 320 220 160 Filing a brief in support of an appeal 108 740 208 370 Reissue filing fee 280 221 121 140 Request for oral hearing 114 160 214 Provisional filing fee Petition to institute a public use proceeding 138 138 1,510 1.510 140 110 240 55 Petition to revive - unavoidable SUBTOTAL (1) 370.00 141 1,280 241 640 Petition to revive - unintentional 2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE 142 1,280 242 640 Utility issue fee (or reissue) Extra Fee from Fee Paid 143 460 243 230 Design issue fee Claims below **Total Claims** 76 -20\*\* = 504 00 56 9.00 144 620 244 310 Plant issue fee Independent 10 -3\*\* 42.00 122 130 122 130 Petitions to the Commissioner 294.00 Claims Multiple Dependent 140.00 140 00 123 50 123 50 Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q) 126 180 126 180 Large Entity Small Entity Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt Fee Recording each patent assignment per Fee Description 581 40 581 40 (\$) Code (\$) Code property (times number of properties) 103 18 203 9 Claims in excess of 20 Filing a submission after final rejection 146 740 246 370 (37 CFR 1.129(a)) 102 84 202 42 Independent claims in excess of 3 For each additional invention to be 740 104 149 249 370 280 204 140 Multiple dependent claim, if not paid examined (37CFR 1.129(b)) 109 209 84 42 \*\* Reissue independent claims 179 740 279 370 Request for Continued Examination (RCE) over original patent Request for expedited examination 169 900 169 900 110 18 210 9 \*\* Reissue claims in excess of 20 of a design application and over original patent Other fee (specify) SUBTOTAL (2) (\$) 938.00 \*Reduced by Basic Filing Fee Paid SUBTOTAL (3) (\$) 65.00 \*\*or number previously paid, if greater, For Reissues, see above

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